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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Jocelyn Boyd Chief Clerk and Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.

Notice of New Natural Gas Construction Project

Docket No. 2012-278-G

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Piedmont" or "Company") is required to notify the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") "of any construction projects resulting in a cost of \$500,000 or more." See 26 S.C. Code Ann. Reg. 103-412.2.7. In compliance with Commission regulation, this letter serves as notification to the Commission that Piedmont plans to retrofit Line 201 such that an inline-inspection tool will be able to traverse the entire length of the pipeline unencumbered. Line 201 is approximately 17.75 miles in length and begins southeast of Greenville and ends on the northeast side of Greenville. The project is being done in compliance with current PHMSA pipeline integrity regulations issued under the authority of Subparts O and P of Part 192 of the regulations of the United States Department of Transportation. Piedmont expects to complete construction on project F0230732/CP0232112 by March 31, 2021.

By copy of this letter, Piedmont is also notifying the ORS of this construction pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Reg. 103-412.2.7(A).

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ T. Richmond McPherson III
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